



John H. Chafee Blackstone River Valley National Heritage Corridor

Working with Rhode Island

By the Numbers

Almost every American city and town claims a little bit of the National Park Service. Communities invite us to help them. Together we build trails and playgrounds, return historic buildings to productive use, revitalize neighborhoods, expand affordable housing, protect watersheds, recognize and promote local history, and introduce the next generation to stewardship opportunities. When we combine our expertise and resources we can accomplish great things.

2 National Parks

60,505 Visitors to National Parks

\$3,500,000 Economic Benefit from National Park Tourism

\$1,211,855,665 of Rehabilitation Projects Stimulated by Tax Incentives (since 1995)

\$48,226,140 of Land & Water Conservation Fund Appropriated for Projects (since 1965)

\$29,875,142 in Historic Preservation Grants (since 1969)

18 Certified Local Governments

25 Community Conservation and Recreation Projects (since 1987)

1,997 Acres Transferred by Federal Lands to Parks for Local Parks & Recreation (since 1948)

6,880 Hours Donated by Volunteers

1 National Heritage Areas

1 National Trails Managed by NPS

773 National Register of Historic Places Listings

45 National Historic Landmarks

1 National Natural Landmarks

465 Places Recorded by Heritage Documentation Programs

14,189 Objects in National Park Museum Collections

40 Archeological Sites in National Parks

3 Discover Our Shared Heritage Travel Itineraries

These numbers are just a sample of the National Park Service's work. Figures are for the fiscal year that ended 9/30/2015.

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The National Park Service cares for special places saved by the American people so that all may experience our heritage.